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Responsive to the Official action dated May 31, 2006, the Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of all pending claims in view of the following amendments and remarks.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.